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SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS

The Weather.

VASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Forecast for aday and Monday; air Sunday and Monday; fresh west, thing to south winds. orli Carolina—Showers Sunday and nday; light to fresh variable winds.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

General.

Mise Long and Mr. Skeen wed at Clintwood—Man in Jail in Lancaster for kidnapping seventeen-year-old girl, taking her from her escort in a boat into his at rifle's point and coming away in the darkness throws her overboard to drown; terrifle struggle for life—lake of Wight biga. Mist balled for trial; wife No. 2 absent, but No. 3 present—Early morning fire in Lynchburg does forty thousand collars' damages—Stage hands at the Academy in Newport News on a ktrike—The battleship Louisana more than hair finished; ready for lauching at the News shippards next Saturday—An old citizens fails to his death.

North Carolina. Chairman Simmons, of the Democratic State Committee, issues a circular letter saying sharp things to the Republican chairman and severing diplomatic rela-tions—The State Democratic Committee appoints an advisory committee—A pro-phecy that failed at James City.

NEW YORK ENCOURAGING

Democrats Alive and Machinery

in Good Working Order. in Good Working Order.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Wm. S. Rodie, chief of the Organization Bureau of the Democratic State Committee, says that his work has been made easy by the voluntary assistance from enthusiastic supporters of Judge Parker throughout the State. The old machinery is in working order and the men who have heretofore been in charge of county and precinct organization, have evidenced a willingness to go to work this year, which is very encouraging.

WANT HELP TO-DAY.

The 128 advertisements for help published in to-day's Times Dispatch or page 8 are as follows;

3 Office Help. 51 Domestics, 15 Agents, 7 Trade, 52 Miscellaneous,

This not only interests those out or work, but those desiring to improve their positions as well.

DOUBTFUL STATES GIVE HIM FRIGHT

Cortelyou Receives Disquieting Reports From the Battleground.

TO OYSTER BAY TO SEE THE PRESIDENT

The News From the First Car vass Gives the Republican Managers Genuine Scare.

MAJORITIES CUT BELOW THE MARGIN OF SAFETY

They Fear Cleveland May Take Active Part in New Jersey. In Danger of Losing Rhode Island and Connecticut in Danger-Give Maryland and Delaware Up.

Tables were spread on the lawn of their beautiful home, which is situated on a high hill overlowing the river and commanding a magnificent view of the picturesque country which surrounds it. Refreshments were served in abundance. Those present were Misses Spottswood Ligon, Ninna Bratton, Etta and Louise Tillman, Virginia Strange, Adel and Claire Trants, of Richmond; Mary and Hallie Sanders, Josephine Enright and Mary Taylor; Masters Elliott and John Drinard, of Richmond; Herbert Tillman, James Richmond, Wills Sanders, Overton Ligon, James Ligon, Bosher Ligon, Edward Enright, Milton Palmore, Trueliart Palmore, Drinard Taylor and Vernon Taylor,

TO ENLARGE NEW

NORFOLK DRY DOCK

Discovered That As Planned It

Is Barely Big Enough for

Our Largest Cruisers.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—It has been found that the new dry dock at the Norfolk Navy Yard is berely large enough to accommodate the largest cruisers now under construction for the government, and the paval constructor and engineer on dirty at that yard have recommended that the dock be made fifty feet longer. Rear-Admiral Havrington, the commander of the yard, has approved the recommendation and suggested to the Navy Department that the dock be made 760 feet over all, by which he says the necessity for building another dock will be postponed for many years.

AN AGED CITIZEN

FALLS TO HIS DEATH

IN DESPERATE NIGHT ATTACK RYAN-BLAIR JAPANESE ENTER PORT ARTHUR



AN OUTPOST CAPTURED BY JAPANESE CAVALRY SCOUTS.

BIG HAUL OF THE SPURIOUS

Counterfeiters Arrested in Atlanta and Confess Their Crime.

THIRTY THOUSAND IN BILLS

Money Printed in La Hatte Printing Company's Establishment at Night.

cigar box in the La Hatte printing shop: \$12,000 at Little's house; about \$4,000 in an alley in the center of the city, besido smaller sums that were found on the men themselves. The bills, it is reported, are fairly good, sufficiently so to have been accepted by a number of business houses, including one bank in this city.

ADMIT THEIR GUILT. ADMIT THEIR GUILT.

All the men were brought together to day and admitted their guilt. The inspector, in a statement this afternoon, said that Little and Coffey met an engraver, who is believed to have lived here, but who now has moved to St. Louis. From him they bought the plates for \$500, each paying one-half. Four plates were used, one for the front of the bill, one for the

PARKER RECEIVES

OFFER OF SUPPORT

Brooklyn Democratic Club Make

Pilgrimage to Esopus to

Offer Allegiance,

By Associated Press.)

were received by the candidate and Mrs.
Parker on the broad veranda. Daniel
Moynahan, chairman of the delegation,
made an address, pladging the efforts of

its members to the furtherance of Judge Parker's candidacy. Judge Parker replied in a few words, expressing thanks for the assurances of

ESOPUS, N. Y., August 20 .- Judge Parker to-day received assurance of the sup-port of Brooklyn Democrats. A delegation, composed of seventy-two members of the Brooklyn Democratic Club, and of the King's county Democracy, reached Rosemount this afternoon, where they

CALL TUESDAY FOR WOGGLE BUG BUTTONS

much attention that The Times-Dispatch has secured several woggle bug buttons to None will be given out

The supply will only last a short while, so be prompt. Each per-son who calls will be given a

HOAR'S CONDITION.

May Last Several Days, But No Hope for His Recovery.

FIVE ARE KILLED BY DYNAMITE

witching Crew Runs Train Into Car Load of the Explosive.

NEVADA, MO, August 20.—Five persons were killed at Minden, a station on the Nevada and Minden branch of the Missouri Pacific Railway, this atternoon by the explosion of a car of dynamite. The dead:

MAY SHUT UP

Manassas Fears Trouble With the Soldiers During the Manoeuvres.

IT CAN SECURE NO GUARD

General Corbin Declines a Request Made-A Mass-Meeting Is to be Held.

the manoeuvre area.

Manassas just at this time presents quite a busy appearance. The town is full of soldlers and strangers. Stands from which lunches and refreshments will be sold have been eracted on every vacant lot within the central portion of the place. Sallie Johnson, an old negre woman, who owns a small tract of land near the manoeuvre camp, has divided her place into lots and is renting them at the rate of one dollar per foot.

A Warlike Scene.

Camp No. 1 presents a very warlike appearance. There ure, perhaps, botween one and two thousand soldlers now in the camp, and more are arriving on nearly

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Russians and Japs in Hand-to-Hand Fight at All Points.

OPPOSITION ONLY A MATTER OF HOURS

Generals Stoessel and Fock in the Trenches Lead Defenders in Fight.

RUSSIAN SHIPS MAKE DESPERATE SORTIE

They Are Driven Crippled Back Into Port Arthur-They Claim to Have Sunk the Japanese Mikasa.

reach here to-night that the Japanese, in a desperate night attack on

CZAR'S ORDERS.

The Town and Warships Must be Destroyed Rather Than Surrender.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 20,ried out by Russia to destroy rather than give up, the Czar has issued

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CONTROLS Now Owns the Seaboard Air Line System. MAJORITY OF STOCK

SYNDICATE

HAS BEEN SECURED Ryan, Blair and Associates Have Two-Thirds of the

Securities. WILLIAMS-MIDDENDORF

STOCK IS PURCHASED

Surprising Coup Accomplished Yesterday and Formally Announced-Baltimore Pool's Plans Upset by Unexpected Deal-The Seaboard's Earnings.

SEABOARD'S PROSPECTS

Coast Line, and it is the opinion of able raliroad authorities that with proper management the Seaboard Air Line Raliway should be operated at approximately as slow a ratio of expenses as the Atlantic Coast Line. If this should be done, the Seaboard Air Line Raliway would be able, eyen on the prosent basis of earnings, without any increase, to pay four per cent, dividends on the entire issue of preferred stock, and three per cent, dividends on the common stock.

"The statement sent out from New York last night that the Seaboard Air Line Raliway has made arrangements to horrow between seven and eight hundred thousand dollars is misleading. The resolution of the board of directors referred to was a general one authorizing the treasurer, in the event that he should require funds, to make temporary loans therefor, but it is by no means certain that it will be necessary for him to make any such loans. The eash which the company has on hand at the present time and the cash coming in to it willin the next ninety days from the first Atlanta and Birmingham bond syndicate amounts to about one million, five hundred thousand dollars, exclusive of all other receipts of the company. The Seaboard Air Line Raliway has loaned large sums of money to the Atlanta and Birmingham road for construction purposes, in advance of the issuance of the first mortages bonds on that property, and as track is laid and completed, these bonds are being defivered to the Atlanta and Birmingham bond syndicate and paid for.

No Outstanding Bills.

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PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO OYSTER BAY

Man Sprang Towards President's Carriage, But Borne Back by Secret Service Officer.

SNEAK-THIEF IS IN TOILS AT LAST

Negro Who Has Been Snatching Purses From Ladies Confesses Crime.

Sam Green, a mulatto, about seventeen against the negro-one about four weeks ago, one about two weeks, and another ing purses from young ladies.

The negro confessed these crimes to

Sergeant Wiltshire, who thinks he will succeed in developing two more against

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL TENN. August 20—James
Robinson, eighty-five years of age, and a highly respected citizen of Johnson county, fell from a bridge near his home at Laurel Bloomey to-day and sustained in his death in a short while. Two of his granddaughters, who were visiting here, were called home this evening.

Support,

After the speeches Mr. Moynahan introduced factory. He found out when the young ladles who worked there were paid and he laid in wait for them on their way how were visiting here, were called home this evening.

NEGRO KILLS THE TOWN MARSHAL

Lady Holds Him at Pistol's Point and Mob Puts Him to Death.

(By Associated Press.)

CORDOVA, ALA:, August 20.—Town
Marshal J. M. C. Nelson was killed early
this evening and his slayer, a negro

OYSTER BAY, L. I., August 20.—In a
blaze of red firs the special train bearing President Roosevelt and party drew
into the Oyster Bay station to-night at
9:12 o'clock. CORDOVA, ALA:, August 20.—Town Myrshal J. M. C. Nelson was killed early this evening and his slayer, a negro and an amed Avery, a short time thereafter was taken from the calaboses by a mob and put to death with stones and pistol balls. McNelson had gone to the isome of the negro to collect a fine owing to the town of the stantly. The wife of a clitzen wilnessed the current of the negro until officers arrived. The life in the negro until officers arrived. The life in the negro until officers arrived. The life of the negro lynched made the man before he could reach the carriage of the President's personal guards, sprang from a cab in which he was following from a cab in which he was following title difficulty in battering down the doors of the frail structure.

A brother of the negro lynched made threats against members of the men hand is now being pursued. He also may be lynched.

What the man's object was nobody that the brother of Avery is captured. Governor Cummingham to-night wired, Governor Cummingham to-night wired, Governor Cummingham to-night was clearly an any further danger of violence.

Someone suggested that he was 'just a lit too enthusiastic.' President Roosevelt and party drew into the chapton transported in an another lynching will concurre the contract of the correct of the president of the life the special rain bears dependent of the life the special rain bears dependent of the second at time and the large except certain depret on fulls payable outstanding of any kind.

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